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перопт, 1849-50.

Union, has died within the year. Rev. Cyrus baptized last term. Pwo Karen school, 33 one for boys by Mrs. Jones. Barker, of the Assam Mission, Mrs. S. M. Barker, of the Assam Mission, Mrs. S. M. Wilsey Osgood, of the Maulmain Burman ber of pupils. Five day schools, 55. Whole number of pupils except in the seminary 174.— Mission, and Mrs. L. C. Irish Moore, of the Arracan Burman Mission, have deceased since Rangoon district. Contributions, \$339.50, bethe last report.

#### RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES.

The receipts of the year ending March 31, 1850, have been \$104,837.20, and the expentures \$101,447.23 ;—leaving a balance in fathe treasury of \$3,389,97, with which the obt existing at the beginning of the year has seen reduced to \$21,501.09. Of the receipts 0,000 were grants from the American and Foreign Bible Society for Bible translation, Maulmain. cinting and distribution in Asia and Europe; 200 from the American Tract Society for Tracts in Europe and Asia; and \$4,000 from the United States government for the civilization of Indians of North America.

MISSIONARY APPOINTMENTS.

Seven preachers and four female assistants ave been appointed within the year : Mr. Mrs. Knapp and Mr. and Mrs. Campbell to and other native assistants. the Arracan Burmese mission : Miss Wright to the Maulmain Karen mission : Mr. William Ward and Mr. S. M. Whiting to Assam : Mr. Ashmore to the Chinese department of the Siam mission; Mr. Thomas to Mergui; and Mr. and Mrs. Kincaid reappointed to Ava, or male assistant missionaries; 1 native preachsome other point in the northern part of Bur- er and 5 other native assistants.

# MEMBERSHIP OF THE UNION.

ment of \$100 each, is 2,457; of whom 1,818 were made such by churches and other religious bodies, and 461 by their own or the conributions of personal friends.

# MAULMAIN BURMAN MISSION.

Maulmain.-Messrs. Judson, Stevens, and

Amherst.—3 native assistants. In this country, Mr. Haswell and wife, Mr. Mr. Howard and wife.

In consequence of the absence of other mis- upon his work in January. ionaries, the boarding-school is under the charge of Mr. Stilson, and the English church, of Mr. Simons, who also visits more or less Beecher and H. L. Van Meter and their extensively among the Burmese. In other re- wives. me as last year. Dr. Judson has charge of 2 female assistant missionaries; 44 native the Burmese church, and is carrying through native preachers. to try the effect on his health of a voyage to ing the Pwo Karen. Their coming was cel-Amherst. Mr. Stevens has charge of the ebrated with great rejoicings. About 300 are preaching assistants and the theological school, connected with the Sandoway church, and who is at Maulmain, translating the Scriptures assistants were employed in preaching.

#### Maulmain, (Newton) - Messrs. Binney, Harris and W. Moore and their wives; Miss a moment's warning. M. Vinton and Miss Wright, teachers.

In this country, Mr. and Mrs. Vinton. 1 station, 7 out-stations; preaching places J. T. Jones and S. J. Smith, Mr. J. H. 35, including 20 in Burmah Proper. 4 mis- Chandler and wife. Mrs. Jones and Miss H. sionaries, 6 female assistants; 5 ordained na- H. Morse. tive preachers, 3 teachers, 26 other native as-

Maulmain during this year. Miss Wright, designated to the Karen normal school, sailed Mr

#### TAVOY (KAREN,) MISSION.

wives. 14 native preachers and assistants. Mergui. - Four out-stations. - D. L. Bray- premises have daily worship.

ton and Mrs. Brayton. 5 native assistants. F. Mason and Mrs. Mason, temporarily at

recovery of her health, sailed for Burmah in missionaries; 4 native assistants. Of the last annual report 1,500 copies have October. Mr. and Mrs. Wade returned to Preaching has been maintained at Honkong numerous they are fully occupied, and are laeen circulated in addition to the Magazine Burmah the current year; but are expected and the out-stations. Also a Bible class and borious and self-denying men. edition of the same document. The paper, labor in connection with the Burman mission on the "Means essential to the right prosecuat Maulmain. The several churches have been attended by from 30 to 50 Chinese. There exploration has evinced great destitution of nearly six thousand copies have been sold. It a less orderly condition. Several of the native church members contribute to benevo- colporteurs,—one of them a converted Jew. has been received with great favor and de- churches have erected new chapels or repaired lent causes nearly \$40 a year on an average; In a poor quarter of the city a meeting was sionaries, have also rendered valuable aid to of which rs. 204 were from native source.

ARRACAN MISSION. Akyab,-Messrs. L. Ingalls and C. C. Moore. Out-station .- Cruda.

Ramree .- Moung Pyoo, native preacher, On their way to the mission, Mr. H. E.

Knapp and wife, designated to the Kemmees, and Mr. H. M. Campbell and wife, to the Burmese in Ramree district. 2 stations, 1 out station, 4 missionaries, 2 fe-

Mr. and Mrs. Moore arrived at Akyab last wife now in this country.

Government 5. Mrs. Moore died the 5th Governatti.—Mr. Danforth and wife. Mrs. year, March 5. Mrs. Moore died the 5th Nov. following. Messrs. Knapp and Camp- Barker now on her way to America. The whole number of members by the pay- bell with their wives reached Madras, Feb. and are probably now at their stations.

States. A mission chapel at Akyab has been

#### SANDOWAY MISSION. Sandoway .- E. L. Abbott, Messrs. J. S.

spects the arrangements of the mission are the 1 station; 36 out-stations; 3 missionaries

and of the church, assistants and school at 200 waiting for baptism. A small school was

into Karen, has generally been among the Bur-mans, preaching and distributing tracts. The churches at the close of 1848 was 36; native native assistants preach nearly every day at preachers, 44; scholars in the day schools, the zayats in the city, except when they are 421. Baptisms during the same year, 373 sent to remoter stations. At Amherst the Whole number of members reported, 4,341; Sabbath services are regularly conducted by estimated, 4,500. Number baptized in con-try. a native assistant. The number added to the nection with the Sandoway mission from the churches by baptism is 19; whole number 212. beginning, more than 5,500, of whom 700 or missionary; besides Mr. Van Husen and wife Of these, 25 are in the English church. The 800 have died. There were also reported 5,- in the United States.

ter Burmah, though unsuccessful. He holds Sabbath school numbers 200. There are 8 1 station, 1 missionary, 1 female assistant the dying girl, sobbed aloud in its ears: Julia

#### MISSION TO SIAM. Bangkok. (Siamese department.)-Mesrs.

(Chinese department.)-Native assistants.

1 station and 3 out-stations; 3 missiona-Mr. and Mrs. Vinton expect to return to ries and 3 female assistants; 6 Chinese assist-Mr. Smith arrived at Bangkok May 23 .-

churches, they were generally in a prosperous state. Some had passed through trials. All country. The printing of the New Testabaptism 69; total 1,708. Theological school, been revised and enlarged, and more than ly two years. But it has suffered for want of ment, except the minor prophets, and can an- Mr. Jones in 1848. The books have awaken- go to Africa. swer historical questions from Genesis to Dan- ed a general interest, which is of a very prom-No member of the Board of Managers, or iel. Sgau boarding school, pupils 50, of whom ther person holding any official trust of the all but 8 are members of the church: 11 were ed by Mrs. Chandler and Miss Morse, and

> The care of the Chinese church has devolv ed on the Siamese missionaries. Mr. William Several schools not reported, are taught in Ashmore, of Ohio, will saill sail the present season to take charge of this department, sides what was given to the poor, and for the which greatly needs such help. The church was commenced in 1883 with the baptism of persons. The number baptized since is 61 Tavoy. - Ten out-stations. - Messrs, C. during the last year 8; 2 have died. The Bennett, E. B. Cross, J. Benjamin and their out-stations have been sustained by the assistants. The members who live on the mission

# MISSION TO CHINA.

Hongkong.-Messrs. W. Dean J. Johnson native assistants. Three out-stations. 2 stations and 14 out-stations; 6 missiona-ries, 1 a printer, and 6 female assistants; 19 D. J. Macgowan, M. D., and their wives.— Three out-stations.

in April of last year. Mrs. Brayton, on the ries, 1 a physician, and 3 female assistant been constituted, and a large number baptiz-

on the "Means essential to the right prosection of the missionary work in churches," has been printed, and 3,000 copies have been distributed. The monthly issue of the Magazine and somewhat dilapidated state, in conset, and state and st has reached 5,000, and that of the Macedonian about 30,000.

The monthly issue of the Macedonifear of the small pox. The six churches in

Chapters of Genesis. Acts revised has been baptized and constituted into a church. Mr The publishers of Prof. Gammell's History the neighborhood of Pyeekyah were in a more printed, and John's Gospel reprinted, besides Geyer was at once taken into service as a naof Missions have issued a sixth edition, and prosperous state. Those in the south were in about 20,000 copies of different tracts. The tive laborer, and two more of the baptized, as

serves a wide circulation among the churches. the old. The number baptized in Tavoy and their entire property does not exceed \$1,000. commenced at the request of the people; 60 native preachers. AGENCIES.

AGENCIES.

The general character of the labor performed by agents, the amount of time spent in the service, and the number of schools, was 20 r pupils 377. Genesis and the number of churches in the service, and the number of churches in the service in the service at Ningpo have been or 70 attend, and they have bired a more eligible hall at their own expense. The church period in Dublin by commenced at the request of the people; 60 out-stations is 25; whole number service at Ningpo have been baptized. Number of church members estimated 1,200.

The mission has enjoyed rich spiritual prosporation is increasing. The mission has enjoyed rich spiritual prosporation in the request of the people; 60 out-stations is 25; whole number of a mission has enjoyed rich spiritual prosporation in the request of the people; 60 out-stations is 25; whole number of a mission has enjoyed rich spiritual prosporation in the request of the people; 60 out-stations is 25; whole number of the people; 60 out-stations is 25; whole number of the people; 60 out-stations is 25; whole number of the people; 60 out-stations is 25; whole number of the people; 60 out-stations is 25; whole number of the people; 60 out-stations is 25; whole number of the people; 60 out-stations is whole number of churches visited by them, have been about the same as in the previous year,—equal to the service of eight men, each, a little more than eleven months, during which about 950 churches and whole amount of printing reported, 2,096, pages; of issues 849 676. Denotions to public meetings have been addressed by them.

The weekly religious press, and returned mis
of which respect to the place the gospel is preached in the temple of the tutelative ry god of the city. By their contributions at the monthly concert(\$84), the native converts support an assistant there. Two or three tracts have been printed here and distributed besides 1,322 copies of portions of the Bible. containing 42,020 pages,47,364 pages of tracts. One has been baptized. The church numbers 8. Sabbath congregation about 40, of whom

#### 2 are females. ASSAM MISSION.

Sibsagor .- Messrs. Brown and Cutter and

Mr. Ingalls is on his way to the United assistant, and 4 native assistants. Mr. and Mrs. Barker embarked for the U completed at a cost of rs, 1,050. The liberal- States Oct. 29. Mr. B. died at sea Jan. 31. ity of the native converts and English resi- Mrs. Brown arrived at Sibsagor June 18th. freely to support their own poor, and sustain dents in subscribing to the work was very Mr. and Mrs. Bronson and Mrs. Cutter are a few evangelical laborers. The helpers are Stilson, Mr. Simons, Mr. Ranney, printer, and their wives; Miss Lillybridge, teacher. 10 ing died, another has taken his place, who is William Ward of Madison University, ap- is sown, a harvest is almost at once returned sustained by the church at Akyab. 22 have pointed to join the station at Gowahatti, and to the sower. been baptized; 5 have died. There is a school Mr. S. M. Whiting, of Newton Theo. Instiamong the Kemmese, who are anxiously ex- tution, to the station at Sibsagor, will also sail Wade and wife; on their way from Burmah, pecting their missionary. At Ramree, 300 or in July. These brethren are sent forth with 400 come daily to hear the gospel. The na- special reference to preaching the gospel. At 2 stations, 30 preaching places; 8 missiona. tive assistant, Moung Pyoo, was ordained with Sibsagor 2 converts have been baptized. The ries, 8 female assistants; 13 native assistants. reference to this field of labor, and entered third edition of the New Testament has been printed, and the hymn book enlarged onethird. Mr. Brown will now devote himself

to the translation of the Old Testament. At Nowgong, Mr. Stoddard has been alone in charge of the station during the year. In the Orphan Institution are 40 scholars, of whom 10 are girls; 5 of the pupils have been baptized and 2 have died. The school inthe press his Burman dictionary. The last accounts were that he was seriously ill, and about val at Sandoway, have been engaged in studyserious feeling has been manifest among the

boys and girls. At Gowahatti a brick building has been erected for the girls' boarding school. The Amherst. Mr. Mason, of the Tavoy mission, who is at Maulmain, translating the Scriptures assistants were employed in preaching.

A small school was school is flourishing. The boys' school is doing well—pupils 40. There is a great demand for schools. Many new fields of labor

#### MISSION TO THE TELOOGOOS. Nellore-Messrs. S. S. Day, L. Jewett and

their wives. Mrs. Day resides in this coun-

average aggregate attendance on public wor- 124 unbaptized Christians, maintaining a reli- This station was established in 1840, and ship has been about 350. The theological gious life, only not baptized; 12 chapels comclass has 4 pupils; boarding-school, 60 board-pleted, and nearly 20 of an inferior order.— ber, 1845. When left there were 5 schools,

ing and 40 day scholars: at 5 day schools, the average aggregate is 103 boys, 38 girls. At Amherst, 60. Pages printed I,096,900.—

There are but few cases of discipline. Additains are made year by year, day schools are established in nearly every village. 40 native arrived at Nellore in April, 1849. The first Whole number from the beginning 92,590,- preachers are studying with Mr. Abbott. Sev- view was discouraging, but it is now a prom-237. The are 7 fonts of types in native languages, and 6 in English; a font of music, disciples at their own expense, and schools ing been subjugated to discipline, have been made by a native, and a lithographic and copperplate printing department. Contributions, rs. 3,800.

In the lithographic and copperplate printing department. Contributions, restored, as the nucleus of other additions.—

Schools are in great request. Over 250 putempts have been made by Mr. Abbott to enpile receive daily Christian instruction.

ter Burmah, though unsuccessful. He holds Sabbath school numbers 200. The burnah, though unsuccessful. He holds himself in readiness to make another effort at day schools for boys. Christian books are used in them. At heathen festivals many have The number of Indians at this station heard the gospel, and received Christian books. 104. They have a chapel with a cupola and A few inquirers exist, but no conversions are bell. The school has made good progress. known to have occurred. Brahminism is de- Two of the scholars are acting as interpreters clining. There is a remarkable movement and teachers at other missionary stations.among the Mohammedans,—a great spirit of Mr. S. preaches to the white people Sabbath inquiry and interest in becoming acquainted

#### with the Christian Scriptures. MISSION TO THE BASSAS.

Bexley-J. Vonbrunn, and 4 other native assistants. Mrs Clarke and Mrs Crocker in Wednesday morning, and addressed to BURR & churches they were generally in a presperous and they are becoming widely scattered in the large to the Karen normal service at Barger and Barry and arrived at Barger and Barry and arrived at Barry and Barry and arrived at Barry and Barry and

The pupils make good progress, and the had received additions by baptism: 9 churches and 10 branch churches had received by pleted. The Old Testament biography has pupils 27; progress satisfactory. Normal three-fourths of a new edition of 3,000 copies the supervision of American missionaries.—

abstract of the twenty-sixth annual school, pupils 36, including 14 girls. The oldexhausted. 3,150,000 pages of books and The Committee are in correspondence with est class have been through the Old Testa- tracts have been printed since the return of one or two individuals, who it is hoped will sistants; 4 native assistants.

Department of the North-Douai .- Mr and Mrs Willard; 15 or more native assistants. Department of the South-Lyons .- Dr and Mrs Devan; 1 native preacher; 2 colporters. 10 stations, 60 or more out-stations, 2 missionaries, 2 female assistant missionaries; 18

native preachers and assistants. In the department of the north, the gospel is attended with increasing success. The first Association of French Baptists was formed June 6. The laborers in the mission, most of whom were present, evinced the deepest interest in the work of God in France. The church es are agreed in their articles of faith, which are simple and evangelical. In August, I. Foulon was ordained at Genlis. There is a ministerial conference, which bids fair to be useful to the ministers and churches. Four

young men are studying for the ministry with Br. Willard, who aid in preaching in the Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin arrived in Tavoy 2 stations and 6 out-stations: 5 missiona- neighboring villages. Two new churches have ed in various places. Though the helpers are

Schauffler, jr.

Berlin-Mr. G. W. Lehmann. and several colporteurs and other helpers. of the mission and the churches were discuss- schools. ed and settled. A hymn book has been completed by bro. Kobner. From 18 to 20 members of the Hamburg church spend half the their wives; Mrs. Cutter now in this country. Sabbath abroad in efforts to do good. Sever- tions 329; of missionaries 56,—of whom 52 Nowgong .- Mr. Stoddard and wife. One all new churches and stations have been organother female assistant. Mr. Bronson and ized, and great numbers of tracts and Bibles Hamburg, the largest church, numbers 500 3 stations; 5 missionaries, 1 a printer; 6 members. Berlin and Stettin have suffered female assistant missionaries; 1 other female from the cholera. During its prevalence, the Christian spirit was beautifully manifested. The churches are mostly supplied with chap-els, or are engaged in building. They give

Corfu-Mr and Mrs Arnold, Mrs H. E.

Piraus-Mr and Mrs Buel.

ants, 1 native assistant. Two were baptized at Corfu, July 4. They are now studying with bro. Arnold, and one bro. Buel's hearers are some of the most considerable characters in the community. At both places. There is a Bible class at the crushed creature was dying. latter. The seal of divine approval seems to be set upon the mission.

MISSION TO THE OJIBWAS.

Sault de St. Marie-Mr Bingham and wife. Tikuamina-Mr Cameron; Shegad, na-Whitefish Point.

2 stations, 3 out-stations; 2 missionaries, 1 female assistant, 1 native assistant.

The day school at St. Mary's is prosperous -attendance, 53. The Sabbath school and Bible class have both been sustained. Bro. Bingham preaches every Lord's day through touched those ashy lips. "Mother! Mother! committed has its origin in intemperance. an interpreter. Mr. Cameron has labored at don't let them carry me away down to the This is a serious subject for reflection. Tikuamina and the out-stations. The church numbers 30, besides 12 or 15 at the out-stations. Two have died,-one, a woman 80 years of age, the first Ojibwa convert.

OTTAWAS IN MICHIGAN.

afternoons, and to the Indians morning and evening without an interpreter. There is al. so a Sabbath school. One member has died —one feeble struggle and all was still.—E. in Christian triumph. The tribe is wasting away, and much discouraged. They are con-

# SHAWANOE MISSION.

Shawanoe, Delaware and Ottawa-Messrs Barker, Pratt, Meeker and their wives, Miss particular had led her to think seriously upon

E. S. Morse, Mrs. J. T. Jones.

The boarding school at Shawanoe remain nearly the same as last year. In the moral training of the scholars, the mission has received important aid from the parents. The re ligious services have been sustained as usual, He is known to be an ardent lover of family and portions of the Bible translated have been circulated. There is a gradual giving way of paganism. Five have been added to the church at Shawanoe. Present number 34 .-

Contributions \$21,37. At Delaware the school is in a very prom ising state. Heathen Indians wish to put their children under Christian instruction. Three have been baptized. Present number in the church 26. The Delawares are much scattered. Ordinary congregations not large, but respectable. Special assemblies number 300 or 400, including the leading men of the nation, where a few years since the attendance on the Sabbath did not exceed half a dozen

At the Ottawa station is no school. Preaching is regularly maintained, and English will be lost, if not saved. What parent does preaching occasionally at the Sac and Fox agency. Church members 59. Baptized 2. Contributions for the poor \$75; to sustain a native assistant \$100. Some printing is done. Yet their souls are of more value ten thousand The Indians are becoming more and more civilized every year. Nearly every man and woman in the nation lay aside their employ-

#### MISSION TO THE CHEROKEES. Messrs. E. Jones, W. P. and H. Upham, and their wives.

5 stations, 7 out-stations; 3 missionaries; 1 a printer, 1 a teacher : 3 female assistants : 6

first convert baptized by bro. Oncken, has thians is in type; also a tract in Cherokee .died. The second annual meeting of the Prus- The school at Bushyheadville numbers 65, of

RECAPITULATION. of the Union is 17; of stations and out-staare preachers; of female assistant missionaput in circulation. The people everywhere assistants; whole number of laborers 320. members; and of schools 102, with 2,648 pupils; the number of additions to the churches on profession of faith more than 1,236.

# Bury me in the Garden.

every eye; and there were low half suppress- ted that there was at one time a great deluge, ed sobbings heard from every corner of the when the waters rose to the heavens, and that room-but the little sufferer was still; its young the empire was then converted into a swamp, spirit was just on the verge of departure. which a King called Shun got it drained by The mother was bending over it in all the means of canals whose mouths opened into the speechless yearnings of parental love, with seas and rivers. The date of this event only 2 stations, 2 missionaries, 3 female assist- one arm under its pillow, and with the other differed a few years from that generally asunconsciously drawing the little dying girl clo- signed to the deluge. It was a confirmation ser and closer to her bosom. Poor thing! of the truth of Holy Scripture, that so distant is an assistant. An English service is held in the bright and dewy morning it had follow- a nation as the Chinese, who did not know on the Sabbath; the Greek congregation is ed out behind its father into the field; and, from the Bible of the occurrence of the great small. The church consists of 10. At the while he was there engaged in his labor, it fall, should record the same event as that spoweekly lecture and monthly concert about 15 had patted around among the meadow flowers ken of in Holy Writ. There was other coinattend. The missionary collections average \$3,50 at the concert. The contributions for and, had stuck its bosom full, and in all its burcidences also, such, for example, as the rec-16 months were \$155.01. Mrs Buel has con-nished tresses, with carmine and lily tinted ord of a great stravation, which took place tinued her classes week days and Sabbaths, things, and returning tired to its father's side, about the time when Joseph was prime minisand visited the sick and afflicted. Among he had lifted it upon the loaded cart; but a ter of Egypt. stone in the road had shaken from its seat and Zante and Patras things are favorable. Ap. the ponderous, iron trimmed wheels had ground plications have been made for baptism from it down into the very cart-path—and the little of the New York Assembly, in their Report

side, and were hanging over the young, bruised grog shops existing in the cities of that State one; to see if it yet breathed, when a slight exclusive of the villages, at upwards of twenmovement came over its lips, and its eyes part- ty-five millions of dollars. They have collective assistant. Michipicoton, Fort William, ly opened.—There was no voice, but there ted statistics from the various city and counwas something beneath its eyelids, which a ty prisons, with the exception of twenty-three, Mother could alone interpret. Its lips trem- whence no returns have been received, which bled again, and we all held our breath-its prove that upward of 36,000 intemperate pereyes opened a little farther, and then we heard sons have been arrested in 1849, and that the departing spirit whisper in that ear which from four-fifths to nine-tenths of all the crime dark cold grave-yard, but bury me in the garden-in the garden, mother."

down with the meltings of her heart, had crept there deposited, and he hides it out of his way up to the bedside, and taking up the hand of as dogs do with bones.

Julia! can't you speak to Antoniette :

The last, fluttering pulsation of expiring nature struggled hard to enable that little spirit to utter one more wish and word of affection its soul was on its lips as it whispered again: "Bury me in the garden mother-bury me in the"——and a quivering came over its limbs

# My Father's Prayers.

Such was the answer given by a young

lady, a recent convert, when asked what in the subject of religion. The remark left i deep impression upon the mind, and seemed truly to be an overwhelming argument in favor of family prayer. The father of the person referred to is a ruling elder in one of our churches and a man of true piety and zeal. prayer, and not merely for the name, but for the solid enjoyment he finds in keeping the commandments of God. His family and surrounding friends have a large share in his supplications, and he has lived to see an answer to his prayers in the conversion of an affectionate daughter. This is but one instance among many, perhaps that may have come to the knowledge of the reader: yet it is one that goes strongly to recommend family religion. O how little do many of us who are parents doing for the salvation of those children whose eternal welfare had, to a certain extent, been placed in our hauds. They have souls that not desire the salvation of his child? What would we not do for the good of their bodies? times. Christian parent, would it detract from your happiness to know that you had been the instrument in their salvation; that your prayers had been answered in their conversion; and to hear them say, when interogated as above, "It was my father's prayers," or "My father's kind admonitions .- Presbyterian.

# Chinese Tradition of the Deluge.

Hamburg-Messrs. Oncken, Köbner and held at several of the stations and out-stations. there on its shores, washed by the Pacific, At one of them 1,200 or 1,300 persons were they would find China, an ancient nation, present. An intense and continued interest which has retained its customs for over two 34 stations, 60 or more out-stations; 3 mis-sionaries, 30 native preachers and assistants, of about 100 miles from north to south, and thousand years, with a strictness and attachfrom 50 to 100 from east to west. The epis- ment that would do honor to better things .-The labors and successes of the mission tles to the Romans and Hebrew (5,000 copies) In fact, the Chinese had a continual history have been as in years past. Mr. Lange, the have been printed during the year; 1st Corin- even from the deluge up to the present time; they had writers in all times and in all cirsian Baptist Association was held last year at whom 12 are boarding scholars. Two have cumstances, and they had a language which, Stettin. Many points relating to the interests received certificates as teachers in the national in its essential parts, had undergone very little change for the past two thousand years. Was it not a wonder that this nation could exist The number of missions under the charge so long, and could not be subdued by the storms that had swept over the plains of Asia? The fearful inroads of barbarianism who wasted ries 57; with 214 native preachers and other and overthew the Roman Empire in the West and in the East, all that the wisdom of the seem to be waiting to receive the gospel.— The number of churches is 151, with 12,290 Hindoos had established, did not annihilate or disperse his nation, (for he called the Chinese his own nation.) The invaders of China, instead of giving their triumph a national character, were obliged in time to amalgamate with the Chinese, and thus this nation has pre-There was sorrow there, and tears were in served its purity. The Chinese history sta-

> COST OF INTEMPERANCE.—A Committee on Intemperance in the State, estimates the We had all gathered up closely to its bed- amount annually expended for drinks, at 7000

> A man is often his own robber. He steals A little sister, whose eyes were raining from his own bosom and heart what God has

We condense from a very full report in the Bufstate of our columns, and the lateness of the hour at which a part of the proceedings were received, compels us to defer the remainder till next week.

A meeting of the friends of the American and Foreign Bible Society was held during the anniversary, at which an almost unanimous expression against a new version was manifested. There Union accommodated with entertainment, and no- call forth the view and sentiments of this body. tice was given that there was room for more.

# Thirty-Sixth Anniversary of the American Baptist Missionary Union.

Tuesday Morning, May 14.

The meeting of the Board was called to order by the Rev. Edward Bright of Boston, the Home Secretary of the Union. He read a letter from the Hon. Mr. Duncan of Ohio, stating his inability to be present-being detained by his duties in the U. S. House of Representatives.

On motion of Rev. Isaac Wescott, of Stillwater Rev. Elisha Tucker, D. D. of Chicago, was chosen chairman pro tem.

Prayer was then offered by Dr. Welch, of Brook

Mr. Bright suggested that it was customary be fore proceeding to the reading of the annual Report, to spend a short season in devotional exercises. The meeting then engaged for some twenty five minutes in singing and prayer.

The Secretary of the Board, the Rev. Morgan J. Rhees, being absent, the Rev. Jira H. Cole, of Nunda, was chosen Secretary pro tem.

The names of the members of the Board were called, and the following answered:

Jonas G. Warren, Levi Tucker, E. L. Magoor William Bucknell, Jr., Caleb B. Davis, John Jennings, Elisha Cushman, Isaac Wescott, J. L. Burrows, S. W. Adams, Nathaniel Colver, Lewis Raymond, Rollin H. Neale, James N. Granger, J. S. Backus, Elisha Tucker, M. Allen, J. Borden, David R. Barton, D. M. Wilson, Thomas Wattson, George James, C. P. Sheldon, Baron Stow, L. F. Beecher, J. G. Collom.

The chair appointed the following committee on Devotional Exercises :

Rev. V. R. Hotchkiss, and Rev. C. P. Sheldo Buffalo, Rev. Edward Bright, of Boston, Rev. R.

was laid on the table.

read portions of the report, and Dr. Stow, of Bos- favor of its adoption. ton, continued the reading until the hour of ad- The chair remarked that the executive commit-Rev. J. L. Burrows, of Philadelphia, submitted

ports to select committees, to be appointed by the whether the Board would advise the appointment chairman Dr. Babcock, of Philadelphia, made an explana- pany him.

tion in relation to the Sunday School meeting appointed to be held at the First Presbyterian church terfere with the business of this Board.

The meeting then adjourned with prayer by the | Chair-certainly. Rev. Mr. Leonard of N. V.

Raymond, of Chicago.

Committee had prepared a report upon the subject mend the appointment. of increasing the expenditures of the Union from Mr Stevens then bad a prudential difficulty. \$10,000 to \$15,000. Referred to a select com- the Board interfered in one appointment it might mittee of five.

following resolution:

time of holding the annual meetings of the Ameria pointment of the medical assistant. &c. Adopted.

The committees were then announced by the

Devotional Exercises, reported the following re- Church, Burrows and Tucker, when commendations, which were adopted:

That this evening be devoted to addresses and prayer, in concert with our missionaries at the different stations.

That on Wednesday evening missionary meet-Wade, Kincaid and Parker, of Cambridgeport, make addresses in this church, and brn. Sutton, Bronson and Haswell, in the North Presbyter an church. It is expected that one of the Assamese will be at each of the churches.

That we recommend to the Union that the annual sermon be preached on Thursday evening. The sermon, it will be recollected, is to be preached by Rev. E. L.-Magoon.

That the lecture room of this church be opened every evening at 8 o'clock for devotional exercises. The meeting adjourned with prayer by the Rev. N. Colver, of Boston.

Meeting met pursuant to adjournment-opened with singing.

Dr. Stow, of Boston, then offered a prayer. The meeting was addressed by Rev. J. M. Haswell, returned missionary from Maulmain, Rev. Mr. Bronson, of Assam, and Rev. Mr. Kincaid .-Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Gillette, and Rev.

Mr. Colver. Adjourned to Wednesday morning, 9 o'clock.

Wednesday Morning, May 15. by the Rev. Silas Tucker, of Ill.

The Secretary read the proceedings of the meet-

ing yesterday, which were adopted.

The chairman called for the reading of the ercports of the committees.

terest to the exercises.

report thereon. The report discussed the import-enterprises in which this Board is engaged. ance and desirableness of re-occupying this impor- Rev. Messrs. Wescott, Bright, Tucker, of Bos-

a measure were practicable. The report was an der the charge of the Board—that of the Tuscaroa measure were practicable. The report of the subject, and concluded ras having been transferred to the N. York State the President, Gov. Briggs, of Mass., in the Chair. by recommending that the Board advise to appoint Convention. The report gave a very interesting a missionary physician; but with the express pro- description of the condition and prospects of the falo Commercial Advertiser, the proceedings of the vision, that should the attempt to re-establish the Missionary meeting at Buffalo. The crowded mission be frustrated, the connection with the appointee should cease.

It was moved and seconded that the report be

Mr Bright remarked that this report contained matters involving great responsibilities, and impor- of the course of the executive committee upon this tant results. He hoped, therefore, it would not be permitted to pass in silence. He regarded the were upwards of eight hundred members of the proposition as one of great magnitude, and should

The chair observed that he presumed the subect was well understood. It was a proposition to imake another attempt to occupy Ava as a mission out, and some other word substituted, as the Board

Deacon Wattson, of the First church, Philadelphia, here urged upon the attention of the Board the advantages of sending Dr. Dawson and wife to obtain admission, if possible, to the city of Ava. The principal reason he would urge in his going there was, that he was a physician, understanding the diseases incidental to that climate-and he thought that a physician would be highly desirable in Burmah-that he would be able to obtain access to many places where a simple missionary would be unable to succeed. The Burmans were people very tenacious of life and health; and that Dr. Dawson understood their language. Havng been there before, he would not have to wait two or three years before he could proceed in his labors. He was thoroughly acquainted with the preventives to avoid the diseases which are preva-

nerely a matter of inquiry in relation to the modification of the proposition of the executive com- adopt some effectual plan by which every pastor Last year has been one of usual prosperity. I am pittee, presented in this report.

Mr Wescott proceeded. While he supposed to their individual opinions, he did not doubt but course of which Father Bennett remarked that the that these opinions might be varied, could the excentive committee and the report agree upon a in cities, and the members of their churches did a proper motives, or of interest, it is certainly this plan. He thought that much importance should had been in the field and knew all the circumstances connected with it. If he were of opinion that Ava could be re-occupied, then he was in favor of The Treasurer read his annual Report, which giving him a coadjutor. And he considered that Rev. Edward Bright, the Home Secretary, then the appointment conditional. He was therefore in from the month of May to some time in Septem-

tee had already appointed Br. Kincaid and family to make the effort and ascertain if it were practifuture time important and desirable. a resolution, which was adopted, referring the re- cable to re-occupy Ava. And the question was of a missionary physician (Dr. Dawson) to accom-

Rev. J. L. Stevens, of Ohio, inquired if the mem bers of the Union were permitted to participate in this afternoon. It was in no ways designed to in- this discussion as well as the members of the

Mr Stevens then inquired if it was proposed that Afternoon Session. | the Board appoint a missionary physician? If so, The meeting opened with prayer by Rev. Lewis he had a constitutional difficulty, as that business was left to the Executive Committee.

The Home Secretary said that the Executive Dr. Williams-It is only intended to recom-

be called upon to act in other cases, &c.

Rev. S. S. Cutting, of New York, offered the Rev. Baron Stow observed that the question had been correctly stated by the Chair. It was not Resolved. That a committee of nine be appoint- whether an effort should be made to re-occupy ed to inquire into the expediency of changing the Ava, but as to the expediency of advising the ap-

can Baptist Missionary Union from the month of Deacon Watson, of Philadelphia, Rev. Messrs. May, to some time in September or October .- Love and Parker, of Massachusetts, made some explanations.

Dr. Williams re-read portions of the report, and evoluined the views of the committee

The question was further discussed by Rev. Dr.

Dr. Williams offered a resolution that the Roard will sustain the Executive Committee in their vigorous efforts to resuscitate the mission at Ava and to re-occupy Burmah proper, and also, that it recommend the appointment of a medical helper, to ings be held in the Washington st. Baptist church, accompany the Rev. Mr Kincaid in his attempts to and the North Presbyterian church. That Ben, re-enter that field, on the basis of the report of the

The report and resolution were then adopted. Rev. J. G. Warren, of Troy, from the committec on reinforcements and appropriations for 1850 -51, reported thereon. The report discussed the question at considerable length, and concluded with a resolution that the exigences of the times east \$15,000 over those of the past year.

of the action of the committee.

Mr. Bright remarked that it was proper that he mittee on this subject, no estimate had been made ted.

committee. He was sure he would be seconded sideration. whole missionary field-when we read the ac- at convenient intervals. that members should avail themselves of the occa- tists, or more solemnity, and double the amount of Williams, of Wyoming, was lost. siderable length in favor of increasing the appro- tributions, was passed. Dr. W. R. Williams, from the committee upon priations \$30,000, and of adopting a most enlarg-

HRISTIAN SECRETARY. | position to appoint a missionary physician, should port from the committee on Indian missions. missions among this people. In connection with discussed. No missionary-no assistant missionary, or native teacher, own slaves. Of the 1200 members only four own slaves, and three of these hold them by inheritance. The report approved subject, on the principle that all churches which receive aid or support from the funds of this Board. should be free from slavery, as a condition of so receiving such aid or support, &c.

Mr. Bright desired that the word "transferred connected with the Tuscarora mission, be stricken did not recognise missions as transferrable proper

The phraseology was changed to, "passed under

the control of," &c., and the report adopted. D. R. Barton, Esq., of Rochester, read a repo rom the committee on Finance. Recommended the adoption of the plan of last year, but would suggest the expediency of devising some means to avoid the crowding of so large a portion of the ag gregate collections of the year into the last month they having amounted this year to over one-third of the whole amount contributed. The report also made some suggestions in relation to the practice another reason of very weighty consideration was, of designating, on the part of members or church es, a specific object to which their contributions should be appropriated. In relation to the debt (21,035) the committee recommended the sale of the Farwell estate and the Grand Rapids lands and climate, and in full possession of all the necessary appropriating the avails as a sinking fund for the liquidation of the debt. No recommendation was made in relation to the Missionary Rooms. The Rev. Isaac Wescott said that his remarks were report concluded with some resolutions for carryout its recommendations. First-that the Board shall be considered a local agent for the collection Mr Bright explained the views of the executive of funds for foreign missions, and the transmission that it has been one prosperous beyond all others of the same monthly.

A discussion followed the reading of this report the members of the Board would vote according on the expediency of employing agents in the pastors who were opposed to agents were located sun, free from all imputations of selfishness or im cash business, but those in favor of them were set- It is for the propagation and dissemination of the e attached to the opinions of Mr Kincaid. He tled over country churches. There was a general word of God. And why should not that religion expression in favor of agents by the pastors from be sent and why should not those who have the bithe Western States

Rev. S. S. Cutting, from the committee on inmiring into the expediency of changing the time this report had obviated the difficulty by making of holding the anniversary meetings of the Union ber or October, reported against the expediency of any change at this session, but discussed the various reasons which render a change at some Adjourned. Prayer by Dr. Hagne.

WEDNESDAY, May 15.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The meeting opened with singing and prayer. The Report of the Committee on Devotiona Exercises, recommending that Friday afternoon be devoted to the services of designating Missionaries -to an address of the Hon. Geo. N. Briggs, President of the Union to the Missionaries, and to addresses from such as are set apart to Missionary la bor, was called up and adopted.

The Report of the Committee on Siam and Chinese Missions was read and adopted.

The Report of the Committee on Publication and Missionary Magazine to the favor of all who every knee shall bow to the name of Christ. would keep themselves informed in regard to the missionary enterprize-adopted.

Telogoo Mission was read and adopted. The Report of the Committee on the Karen Mis-

tion of this mission-adopted.

abatements in the agencies of the West. submitted a report. The Board had abundance of interesting and instructive. He had seen many sentation of different objects of benevolence, and Church, that so few of those connected with the he had never heard one say but that it was the ren in attendance have been dissatisfied, and have missions had been called away by death. The most blessed meeting they had ever attended; and lost their interest in the associational meeting. deaths have been Mrs. Osgood, Mrs. More, Mr. the two meetings of this Union which he had at- And when funds have thus been obtained, it has Barker. He paid feeling tributes to their memory, tended have been highly interesting. Let us in- been from those who are accustomed to contribute St. Louis. The report was adopted.

Dr. Babcock, of Philadelphia, read a report from us.

a very encouraging report thereon. The commit-one who was before him. required an expenditure and appropriation of at tee bespoke a large share in the prayers and the liberal contributions of the American churches for The chairman made a few remarks explanatory the mission in France. The report was adopted.

Prof. Robinson, of Cincinnati, read a report from the Committee on the Burmese Mission, givshould make some explanation. In the paper ing a partial history of this mission and of its pres which had been submitted by the executive com- ent condition and prospects. The report was adop-

the Union.

The business of the Board was concluded last

evening. This morning the Union assembled-Dr. Stow, of Boston, introduced to the audience the Rev. Amos A. Sutton, a missionary of the English Baptists, about to return to Orissy. He was welcomed by the Chair, and opened the session

Gov. Briggs addressed the meeting: Men and brethren of the American Baptist Mis

sionary Union :- Under the smiles of Providence we are assembled on this thirty sixth Anniversary of this institution, on a beautiful smiling May morning. And the smiles of Providence have been up on us from year to year as we have met together it our labors. Last year we assembled in the city of Philadelphia-the city founded by that good man WILLIAM PENN-the city where that body of men ssembled who signed the Declaration of Independence which made us an independent people, and from the tower of Independence Hall went forth the peals of that deep-toned bell which announced that Declaration-the city of peace-where we enoved that uninterrupted gratification which has ever marked its history. The year has rolled around and carried with it the usual evidences of its prosperity and the success of its Christian churches .-And here we are this morning, gathered togethe in this young, vigorous, beautiful city, so well deominated the Queen City of the Lakes. A few years ago all around here was an unbroken wilderness, filled with savages who knew not God. But it is changed. Here we are, too, surrounded with natural scenery-with inland oceans spread out beore us, and within hearing too of the great cataract of Niagara, where God has gathered a continent of waters together in his hands and pour their torrents down into the mighty chasm below where they have been roaring ever since the crea-Brethren, here we are-come to consult toget

er-to promote the interests of this association .told by those who are acquainted with its interests, in our annals. We are taught thereby that we have been the humble instruments in the hand of God of promoting the interests of his dear Son. It there is a work of Benevolence under the whol ble, put forth all their efforts by direction of Divine Providence, to give this Gospel to all nations? Why should not the religion of that being whose enemies, even, acknowledge the purity of his morals, and its tendency to elevate the human character-to control its passions-to promote its honesty-restrain all its tendency to evil-and to raise it to all that is lovely and pure, be propagated ?-But it not only relates to our interests here, but it points our high hopes to an hereafter. It is the only religion which points men to an eternal happi ness beyond the grave. It is imperative upon us to use all our efforts to send this blessed Gospel to all parts of the earth. A large part of the human amily are shut out from its blessings and the Misionaries we have sent out are planting themselves among all the benighted Heathen, in that country which a few years ago was enveloped in a world of all its dark corners will be enlightened and warmed mind and one heart, until al! this great work be ac-

Under that divine injunction of our Saviour, "to and, lo! these are but parts of his ways." do unto others as we would that others should do The Report of the Committee on the Assam and unto us." it is imperative upon us to put forth our most earnest exertions to send the Gospel to every people. He believed the time would come when should receive no encouragement. We are acsion was read, recommending the further prosecu- all would have the Bible in their houses-when customed to welcome our brethren from abroad, the people of this land-denominated a Christian The Report of the Committee on Agencies was land-would be more Christian than they had been. priate services of the occasion; and we are glad read. They were unable to devise any new mea- One of the best means of spreading these truths of the opportunity to do so. But an Association is sures in regard to the missionary agencies. The was by the spiritual feeling of this Union. He had a devotional meeting. It is not the place to collect Committee would suggest that there should be no had the pleasure of being present at the meeting funds, unless it be for some local object. Someof the Board of Foreign Missions, an institution of times a considerable portion of the time allotted to Dr. Ripley, from the Committee on Obituaries, another denomination of Christians. It was highly our annual meetings has been occupied in the preeason for gratitude to the Great Head of the persons who had been present at that meeting, and strenuous efforts made to obtain assistance. Breth-

the Committee on Bassa Mission. The Committee He would not detain the meeting with further re- but the burden should fall upon the churches, and purchased the property of Muhlenberg College, a was unanimous in the expression of satisfaction at marks, but permit them to proceed immediately to not upon the few members who represent them in Lutheran institution, in Jefferson, Harrison county, that part of the annual report which relates to this their deliberations. Whatever he could do to fa- the Association. If agents are necessary, let them and have obtained a new charter from the Legislacilitate the business of the meeting he would per- go to the churches and present their claims to all ture, under the name of Judson College. The Rev. L. Beecher, of Albany, from the Committer form to the best of his abilities. And he knew that the members, and not monopolize the time consetee on the Greek and French Missions, submitted he should have the aid and co operation of every crated by the churches to a different purpose.

Sailors

new friends rising up in every direction. But after to know, however, that this practice has been in a says, is a month later than it was last year. The for the Ava mission. It would, he thought, be ad
Dea. Barton, of Rochester, from the Committee poorly cared for. No other class of men in the is still too much retained that is not calculated to and India, govern it here. The fact that the following the committee of the committee is still too much retained that is not calculated to and India, govern it here. visable to increase the appropriation to \$20,000. on Finance, to which the report presented in the civilized world fare worse, or are treated so harshly enkindle or encourage devotional feeling. he made the suggestion. When we look over the amend by providing for the transmission of funds immense number who have charge of the vessels samples to the flock in all things. that almost cover the ocean.

counts in the Magazine—when we come to the The plan proposed by the committee interfered As a general rule, there is no poetry in a sailor's the churches mingle with each other, and with monthly concert of prayer—if we should enter fulwith the constitutional provision in relation to Life life while he is at sea; which, by the way, is about their families whose hospitalimade its appearance at several places on the Misorts of the committees.

Mr. Bright, the Home Secretary, observed that

Memberships. As now construed, the constitution seven eighths of his time. His liberty is gone, ties they enjoy; let their conversation be as be and the captain is sole master of the vessel and the captain is sole maste no member of the Board or of the Union had been the proposition to increase the appropriation \$15,- churches would hold back until they had collected crew. If he happens to be a petty tyrant, which worldly, but sober and spiritual. Let them exhort, especially invited to address the meeting upon any 000. He thought there should be less solemnity the \$100. The amendment, after a few remarks is too often the case, he can beat the poor sailors admonish, and encourage each other, endeavoring Evansville, Indiana; but it does not appear to of the reports. But it was peculiarly desirable about this raising \$83,000 among a million of Bap- from Dea. Wattson, of Philadelphia, and Rev. Mr. as much as he pleases, for they are completely at to provoke to love and good works. Let them, as spread as it did last summer. his mercy. Instances of the most shocking bar- they have opportunity, warn and invite those that At Havana, Cuba, the cholera and yellow fever sion to express their sentiments. It would add inmoney for this great object. Mr. B. spoke at conThe second resolution, in relation to specific conare both prevailing at the present time. The deaths addition to this the sailor fares hard. Salt beef God. By so doing they may strengthen the hands by cholera for the week ending May 8, averaged The Chairman and Recording Secretary were and ship bread, through the week, and a miserable and encourage the hearts of their brethren, and 94 per day. the resuscitation of the Ava Mission, submitted a ed and liberal policy in relation to the missionary instructed to report the proceedings of the Board to be Union.

Stitute the sailor's fare. In addition to this, ready to perish. Thus may our Associations bethe Chair announced that the meeting of the he seldom, if ever, gets over four hours at a time come seasons of peculiar and delightful religious attended by sixty-three Southern members for the tant field, and the embarrassments and defiguities which lie in the way of the consummation of this measure. The chief point discussed was the pro
The Chair announced that the meeting of the subject to sleep in, and in stormy weather, he must be on duty night and day. Unless he is provided for on shore with Bibles and religious books he must go

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THURSDAY MORNING, May 16. | without religious instruction, for no interest is manifested in his behalf by the officers of the ship in regard to his spiritual welfare. It is hard living, hard treatment, and a hard life for the poor sailor while he is at sea; and when he sets his foot ashore he is soon stripped of his hard earnings, un less some kind friend assists him to a "Sailor's

Home," or some good sailors' boarding house. But it is gratifying to know that the sailor ha friends, and that the number of them is constantly increasing—that his moral condition is gradually becoming more and more elevated, and that the ime is approaching when the sailor will be regarded as a man. In looking over the Report of the proceedings of the twenty-second anniversary of the American Seamen's Friend Society, held at the Broadway Tabernacle, Monday evening May 6,

we find that its affairs show an increasing prosper ity. The President, Peletiah Perrit, Esq., stated that there had been a great improvement in the accommodations of seamen on ship board, and in their boarding houses on shore. There had also been a great change in the discipline of our merchant service-substituting a government by weight of character and moral influence for brute force and violence. The Savings Bank in New York holds in deposit upwards of a million of dollars be onging to sea-faring men. Temperance prevails extensively among them. The receipts of the Society the past year amounted to \$23,497, being an increase of \$4,915 over those of the preceding Sailors do not differ materially from the rest of

rom the various grades of society on shore. From the lowest up to the highest circles of society sailors are furnished, and consequently they differ in education, habits &c., as much as the society in a village, town, or city. They are just as susceptible of moral improvement as anybody else, and we believe they are even more ready to receive religiou books and tracts than many of their more highly favored friends on shore. Amongst the numerous instances of good accomplished among the sailors by the distribution of tracts, &c., related at the Society's meeting we find the follow ing. A revival of religion or board a man of war would once have been looked upon as one of th strangest occurrences in the world : " Last July a good supply of Bibles and tracts

was put on board one of the ships belonging to the and equipped they may be, would stand no chance Mediterranean Squadron. They were committed to the care of the boatswain. In a letter dated 'Gibraltar, Sept. 1849,' he says : 'We have an exlent captain, and officers and crew; and we have ry prisoner would in all probability have to suffer on board a Sabbath school, a Bible-class, and divine service by the chaplain on Sabbath forencon. In the afternoon I meet the Bible-class, I gave the captain, according to your request, one of the large Testaments with Psalms: he was very much pleased with it. I served out on last Sabbath 120 of the Testaments, and all the Bibles. Dear Brother, feel there is a great work before us here for me to do; pray for me that I may be instrumental in my Maker's hands of doing some good.'

"Under date of 'Naples, Feb. 20, 1850,' he again says : 'I write these few lines to inform you of the gracious work the Lord is carrying on here thoughts." on board. Such a scene has perhaps never been witnessed on board a man-of-war. The Lord is with us in his Spirit's power. Many of the men come every evening, crying, What shall we do to be saved? and I have held meetings for their benearkness. And we look forward to the day when fit every evening for two months steadily. Over one hundred have been awakened; of whom eighty by the influence of this religion. Let us have one are rejoicing on account of their having found peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. . . complished—until the remotest part of the world I believe that prophecy of Isaiah has commenced presented the several claims of the Macedonian shall hear the blessed sound of the gospel—and here, the abundance of the sea shall be converted, &c. Such are some of the fruits of the Spirit :

Associations.-No. 2.

3. Agents of benevolent institutions, as such inviting them to participate with us in the approvoke the Great Head of the Church to preside over their full share at home. I am not afraid that any Christians will do too much for the cause of Christ,

4. Let there be as little of business as is consist- Congregational Journal. ent with a proper organization, and the maintenance of good order. I have known the ministers of an Association all parcelled out into committees, in- Junius Smith, of Greenville, S. C., under date of It must be a gratification to every friend of the structed to prepare reports, introduce resolutions, May 1, writes to the Journal of Commerce that his Sailor, to find that there is an increasing sympathy &c., thus making it a legislative body, and nearly tea plants bid fair to yield well this season, notin his welfare, and that from year to year he has all its exercises of a business character. I am glad withstanding the coldness of the Spring, which, he all that has been done, the sailor, at best, is but great measure abandoned; and yet perhaps there same laws which govern the plant in China, Java

Rev. Zenas Freeman, of Hamilton, spoke warm- morning had been re-committed, reported the same as sailors. The negro slave, generally speaking, is 5. So far as may be, let discussion be avoided. ly in favor of the increased appropriation of \$20,- back again without material alteration. The resolution in relation to requesting the Executive Com- as personal comforts are concerned, than most sail- duce controverted subjects at all; and when any better quality of tea may be obtained in this coun-W. Bucknell, Esq. of Philadelphia, said that he mittee to adopt some plan by which pastors may be ors are. Occasionally a crew of sailors meet with subject is discussed, let it be in the true spirit of try than can be obtained from China, for the reason believed that an addition of \$15,000 instead of \$5, constituted local agents, to collect and transmit a religious captain as their commander, and as a brotherly love, with a sincere desire to elicit truth, that it will not be necessary to roast or heat it in 000 should be made to the recommendation of the funds monthly as far as practicable, was under conduring the voyage; but the proportion of pious carry a favorite point. And let ministers never mer in the Middle and Southern States may grow The meeting opened with singing, and prayer by every missionary heart in the meeting, when by every missionary heart in the meeting, when by every missionary heart in the slightest in-

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With the date, "1850,"upon the face of the monu-mental shaft. The work is being executed at Mr. Struthers' yard, by Mr. John Stewart.—Philadel. present, at Hartford.

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Saturday May 18.

Prayer by Rev, Dr. Cromwell Numerous petitions presented.

Consideration of report of committee on state prison on petition of Bennett B. Hull, resumed, (laid on the table yesterday.) Report accepted, table yesterday.) Report accepted,

and prayer of petitioner granted.

There was but little business transacted on Monday beyond the reception and referring of bills and resolutions. N. S. Webb was appointed Quartermaster General, in place of W. B. Ely, resigned.

Oliver B. Wattles of Norwich, appointed Paymaster General, in the place of W. H. Comstock, removed.

A debate sprung up upon a report submitted by Mr.

# Dems of the Week.

New York and Boston by the Norwich route, will be reduced in a few days from four dollars to two dollars and fifty cents.

Isia in ordering the preparation of a handsome block of marble, with appropriate ornaments, for the National Monument at Washington. The Association numbers about two hundred members. The cost of the block will be about \$300. The dimensions are six feet long, by three feet wide, and eight and failed.

For sale wholesale and retail by the General Rev. RALPH H. MAINE having resigned tion of Journeymen Stone Cutters of Philadelphia,"

NEW ORLEANS, May, 1, 1850 .- The "Ousel Owls" are in motion. Vessels are constantly leavunknown. - See the advertisement in the Delta this norning. Perhaps you can decipher it—I cannot.

THE SUICIDE CASE AT THE CITY HOTEL .- The mystery hanging over the heroine of the attempted tragedy at the City Hotel, has been cleared up. the 7th inst., in place of Horace Goodwin, who de-clined a re-election.

tragedy at the City Hotel, has been ill there from taking arsenic and landanum with the purpose to destroy herself, is Mrs. Mead Her husband is and merchant of Charleston South Carolina, plunged her into that state of mind, from which she sister having recovered from the effects of the poi-

services both as a physician and friend These the welfare of the unfortunate lady, will ever be remembered by her friends (says the note) with gratitude. - Spring field Republican.

It is reported that a Republican movement has has been driven away.

The Liverpool Times say that Lamartine and his wife will set out in a few weeks for the East, been, imperfect books, in consequence of the haste and that he has expressed his determination never in which they have been got up. This year Mr. again to return to his native country, unless sum-

FIRE. - About 12 o'clock on Saturday night a fire broke out in the large dwelling bouse on the north-this published in 12mo. form, and presents a much wore inviting appearance than the smaller volumes by Mr. James Loomis of Windsor. It was first of former years. Mr. Wells claims that it contains discovered in the shed in the rear but soon spread to the upper story of the main building. The firemen were promptly on the ground and succeeded year." In addition to a map of the city, it contains in preventing the entire destruction of the building

killing him. He was a laboring man, about 60 years old, and, it is said, belonged in Lowell. He was intoxicated, and had been put off the New tion in regard to Railroads, Insurance Compa- Britain train but a short time before. He was cau nies. Public Buildings, Schools, Hotels, Societies, heed the advice. In his pocket were found bills

> ACCIDENT ON THE NORWICH ROAD.-We learn from Mr. Wyman of Morse's Telegraph, that the second class car of the steamboat train on Norwich and Worcester Railroad, broke down yesterday morning badly injuring fifteen persons. - Ib.

The ground was covered with snow between Rome and Onedia Depot, on Saturday, May 18.

There has been a great freshet in the Black River, in Jefferson county, N. Y.. Damage was done at Watertown to the amount of \$30,000.

A brakeman was killed on the Nashau Rail Road

Saturday, by striking his head against a bridge. NEW ORLEANS, May 15 .- The News of the re-

CORNING, Saturday, May 18-41-2 P. M.—This morning at 111-9, the wind blowing from the northwest, a fire originated in the Corning and Blossburg Depot, which has consumed all the business por-tion of our village from the Clinton House to the amount of over \$300,000. There is grocery, bank or any other buildings left except two public houses and what few private residences there were in the west end of the village. An en-gine was dispatched by the order of Mr. J. Redfield, the agent of the New York and Erie Railroad Depot at this place to Elmira, and in less than two hours two fire companies with their engines came to our aid from that village. They have done yeofor a law restraining the sale of spirituous liquors, man service since their arrival, and are still exerting themselves nobly to arrest the conflagration which is still raging in the extensive lumber yards

Cor. N. Y. Tribune The force ordered to the coast of Cuba by the President, consists of the following vessels: Capt. Tatnall, Lt. Com'g Ward, Water Witch " Lt. Com'g Totten, Capt. Page, Raritan, frigate, Congress Albany, sloop-of-war, Comm'r Randolph, 24 Comm'r Lowndes. 24 " Germantown, " Flirt, schooner, Lt. Com'g Farrand, 2

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Tuesday, the House took up the special order of the day,—the election of a Major General, in place of Francis Bacon deceased. W. E. King of Sharon received 145 votes out of 185, and was declared to be elected.

"I have recommended the use of Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry for diseases of the lungs, for two years past, and many bottles to my knowledge have been used by my patients, all with benefi-cial results. In two cases where it was thought confirmed Consumption had taken place, the Wild Cherry effected a cure."

From the Boston Daily Bee, March 28th, 1849. "CURE YOUR COUGH .- Are you afflicted THE NATIONAL WASHINGTON MONUMENT.—The Journeymen Stone Cutter's Association of this city having given a substantial evidence of their Patriotism in ordering the preparation of a handsome block when taken in season to effect a cure, and always

> For sale wholesale and retail by the General Agent, SETH W. FOWLE, 130 Washington street, Boston, Mass., and by his sub-agents throughout the country.

MORE CURES

EFFECTED BY DR. CORBETT'S SHA-KER SYRUP OF SARSAPARILLA! The following is from Jacob P. Eastman, of Con cord, N. H., extensively known as an efficient Rail-Road Contractor and Builder, throughout the New

Boston, March 8, 1849.

MESSRS. E. BRINLEY & Co. Gentlemen:—Happy am I to inform you of the wonderful effects of Corbett's Sarsaparilla upon a little daughter of ours, who was poisoned, when at the age of about three years, by vaccination. Eruptions of the skin covered her whole body for more represented to have recently died, and unpleasant than twelve months, discharging the most offensive relations with her father, who is a wealthy planter matter. We were compelled for months to oblige our little sufferer to wear mittens while in bed, and ed her into that state of mind, from which she sought relief in self-destruction. Her brother to adjust her night-dress by closing the openings at the hands and feet so as to prevent her from tearcame from the South on Saturday evening, and the ing her flesh. But even with these precautions, sister having recovered from the effects of the points in the same same recovered with these precautions, she would, at times, release her hands by gnawing her mittens about the finger ends, and then scratch the American Baptist Publication Society, in which the duty of those who believe in the doctrines and was partially reconciled before leaving. The name the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and lacerate herself severely until the blood would be the doctrines and the doctrines are the doc

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J. P. EASTMAN.

Made and put up by the Society of Shakers.-None genuine without the signature of Dr. Co.

By Rev. R. Turnbull, Mr. Horace Case and Miss Sarah N, Blake, both of this city. In this city, May 12th by Rev. Henry J. Fox, Mr. Lucius Chapman, of Ashford, and Miss Maria a Railroad Map of the State, showing all the railgoad routes in Connecticut; also a fine engraving

It was occupied by Mr. Chauncey Barnes as a hotel;
most of his furniture was saved. — Courant.

A Elmer, of Bloomfield; by the same, Mr. Robert
Webb and Miss Caroline Evans, both of Manchester; also, by the same. Mr. Asa P. Thomas, of

> In New Haven, Mr, Levi C. Dibble and Miss Elizabeth H. M. Alling.
> In North Colebrook, by William D. Hotchkiss,

sq., Mr. Jared D. Everets, of Texas, and Miss In Rocky Hill, by Rev. Dr. Chapin, George W. Slater of this city, and Miss Martha E. Goodrich,

Avery.
In Willimantic, on the 12th inst., by Rev. H,
Bromley, Mr. Henry F. Loomis of Worcester.
Mass., and Miss Susan P. Perry, of Willmantic.

In Greenville, May 6th, by Rev. L. Muzzy, Mr. Albert A. Walker of Holyoke Mass., and Miss Sarah D. Wait of Greenvile.

Hubbard, both of Upper Middletown.

On his passage to Cuba, W. J. Nichols of this ity, aged 38. In East Windsor, April 27th, Mrs. Hannah Stoughton, wife of Lemuel Stoughton, aged 34.
In Killingly, May 6th, Mrs. P. Bicknell, aged

In Milton, May 4th, Olive, eldest daughter of Mr. Horace Page, aged 11 years and 6 months. In Hannibal, N. V., April 21st, Mr. Epaphras Loomis, aged 94-a soldier of the revolution. was a native of Torrington. At sea, on his return from California, Dr. Phin-

eas T. Miller, of New Haven.
In New Haven, May 18th, Mrs. Chloe Plant, reliet of the late Dr. Timothy Plant, aged 76. In Newington, Mrs. Sarah Deming, aged 64, relict of the late Wm Deming. In Savannah, G. A., April 7th, Rev. William H. Guernsey, aged 33, eldest son of Noah and Amanda Guernsey, of Northfield.

the 48th year of his age. In Trumbull, May 7th, Mrs. Charity Sherman,

in the 35th year of his age. For two years past the health of our departed friend had been gradually failing. He foresaw the result, and was prepared to the public sign post in said town of Mansfield, nearest the place where in said town of Mansfield, nearest the place where At Newtown, April 15, Deacon Harvey Rowel, directs that public notice be given of this order b to meet it. He calmly looked for the day of death, the deceased last dwelt. set his house in order, adjusted his temporal con-cerns, and hourly held communion with God. At the early age of 15 years he was converted, was baptized by the lamented Rev. Elisha Cushman, and became a member of the church in Weston .-As he progressed in life, he also advanced in his religious experience, and became a zealous and active GREAT FLOOD IN THE MISSISSIPPI.—The New Cleans Rulletin of the fifth gives an account of a

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NOTICE.—The twenty-sixth anniversary of the Ashford Baptist Association will be held with the church in Killingly, at their house of worship, commencing on Wednesday, May 29th, at 10 o'clk.

A. M. Br. H. Bromley, preacher—br. J. C. Car-

Penter alternate.

N. B.—In accordance with the suggestion of the American Baptist Publication Society, the churches are requested to fornish the statistics of their Sabbath schools with their letters,
Willington, May 24.

S. Barrows, Clerk.

NOTICE.—The Ministerial Conference of Litchfield Co. and vicinity will hold its next session with the Baptist church in Newfield, on the last Tuesday in May, at 1 o'clock, P. M.

Assignments as follows:—Exegesis on Isaiah 59: 14, to bro. Atwell; What Scriptural evidence have we of the Salvation of Infants, bro. Avery; Essay—The Baptism of John, with special reference to Acts 19: 2-5, bro. Doty; Essay—What Scriptural evidence have we that the Spirits of the Scriptural evidence have act attending their friends on earth, bro. Bar-Scriptural evidence have we that the Spirits of the Dead are attending their friends on earth, bro. Bar-low; Why are Heathen and Errorists more ready to make liberal contributions to sustain their sys-tems, than the disciples of the Lord Jesus Christ do to sustain his cause in the world, bro. Benedict.
Hitchcockville, May 21. D. AVERY, Sec.

# Advertisements.

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Greatness of the Soul.

Holy War.

Present, SAMURL B. Low, Esq., Judge. Suffield: viz. two pieces of land, in common and undivided, bounded as follows: one piece beginning at the north-east corner of the lot called the White on True Happiness. Homestead, extending westerly along the highway 104 rods and 17 links to a stake and stones, thence southerly to the centre of the brook, in the line of a stake and stones upon the bank of the brook. — South on G. W. Hastings' heirs, East on Apollos of the former place.
In Rockville, on the 20th inst., by Rev. H.
R, Knapp, Mr, William Evans, and Miss Anna Miss Anna and 16 links. Also one other lot containing 112 rods of land situated on the east side of the 'Mountaining of the containing 112 rods of land situated on the east side of the 'Mountaining of the containing 112 rods of land situated on the east side of the 'Mountaining of the containing 112 rods of land situated on the east side of the 'Mountaining of the containing about 20 acres 2 roods and 16 links. tain lot,' so called, bounded east on Lester Rising and extending westerly 6 rods and 20 links to a stake and stones. Said property is valued at about

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It is ordered by this Court, That said Guardian give notice of said application, by causing the same to be published in one of the Newspapers printed in Hartford, in the County of Hartford, three weeks successively, at least six weeks be-fore the hearing; and that said petition will be heard at the Probate Office in said district on next, at o'clock. Certified from Record.

SANUEL B. Low, Judge. Connecticut Literary Institution. The Summer Term will commence on Wednes

day, May 22d, to continue eleven weeks.
D. IVES, SECRETARY.

Suffield, May 2d, 1850. At a Court of Probate holden at Mansfield within

On motion of Robert A. Barrows, executor of th a Guernsey, of Northfield.
In Norwich, May 12th, Mr. Elisha Edgerton, in de 48th year of his age.

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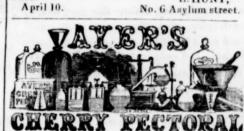
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He asks no money at your hand,-No worldly price to give, But at the fountain ever stands, Inviting you to live.

Come, sinner, come; God bids you rise; Rise-come without delay; He offers gifts beyond the skies,-Why will you turn away !

Come, sinner, come; no longer stay, An hour may be too late; 'Tis Jesus bids you come to-day, Why will you longer wait !

His bleeding side he bares to view; You hear his dving groan; In agony he wept for you, In Gethsemane alone.

Was it for me, my soul replies, That God his Son did give ? It was for you, the Spirit cries, Come to the fount and live. Narwich, Ct., May 13, 1850.

# Religions and Moral.

R. J.

### A Child's Dream of a Star.

There was once a child, and he strolled about a good deal, and thought a number of things. He had a sister who was a child, too, and his constant companion. These two used to wonder all day long. They wondered at the beauty of the flowers; they wondered at the height and blueness of the sky; they wondered at the depth of the bright water; they God who made the lovely world.

They used to say to one another sometimes, Supposing all the children upon earth were to die, would the flowers, and the waters, and the sky, be sorry? They believed they would be sorry. For, said they, the buds are the children of the flowers, and the little playful streams that gambol down the hill-sides are the children of the water; and the smallest bright specks, playing at hide-and-seek in the sky all night, must surely be the children of the stars; and they would all be grieved to see their playmates, the children of men, no more.

There was one clear shining star that used to come out in the sky before the rest, near the church spire, above the graves. It was larger and more beautiful, they thought, than all the others, and every night they watched for it, standing hand in hand at a window .-Whoever saw it first cried out, " I see the star!" And often they cried out both together, knowing so well when it would rise, and where. So they grew to be such friends with it, that before laying down in their beds, they always looked out once again to bid it good night and when they were turning round to sleep, they used to say, "God bless the star !"

But while she was still very young, oh, ve ry, very young, the sister drooped, and came to be so weak that she could no longer stand in the window at night; and then the child look ed sadly out by himself and when he saw the er and the star !"

And so the time came, all too soon! when the child looked out alone, and when there was no face on the bed; and when there was a lit tle grave among the graves, not there before and when the star made long rays down towards him, as he saw it through his tears.

Now, these rays were so bright, and they seemed to make such a shining way from earth light was produced by pure hydrogen. This, to heaven, that when the child went to his sol. if the light was good for anything, everybody but not its fruits and flowers. She well knew that Sir John Franklin's party had not reachdreamed that, lying where he was, he saw a train of people taken up that sparkling road of dollars will be saved to the world annually, sealed to their hues and their fragrance; and which Mr. Roe appears to have received in by angels. And the star, opening, showed him a great world of light, where many more such practicable, the invention may well be termed within the husk of our animal organization, tends to give increased importance to the quarangels waited to receive them.

All these angels, who were waiting, turned their beaming eyes upon the people who were carried up into the star; and some came out from the long rows in which they stood, and fell upon the people's necks and kissed them tenderly, and went away with them down lately by a poor Irishman in this city. He avenues of light, and were so happy in their had been in the employ of a gentleman who company, that lying in his bed he wept for has a large number of hands engaged, and

with them, and among them one he knew .- The second pay-day came around in its turn ; The patient face that once had laid upon the the employer paid off his hands and was conbed was glorified and radiant, but his heart gratulating himself that his money held out, found out his sister among all the host.

His sister's angel lingered near the entrance of the star, and said to the leader among those week before. The gentleman felt deeply morwho had brought the people thither:

" Is my brother come ?"

And he said, "No." child stretched out his arms, and cried, "Oh, speak ?" sister, I am here! Take me!" and then she turned her beaming eyes upon him, and it was your convanience," was the reply. night: and the star was shining into the room,

making long rays down towards him as he saw it through his tears. From that hour forth, the child looked out upon the star as on the Home he was to go lar a wake since I've been in the country.to, when his time should come; and he thought I'm savin' up for the wife and children in ould nuity, in which the ferocious and absurd are

that he did not belong to the earth alone, but Ireland." to the star too, because of his sister's angel "But your shoes are all off your feet, and now holding in Mallow, an unhappy wretch

child; and while he was so little that he nevtiny form on his bed, and died.

Again the child dreamed of the opening star, and of the company of angels, and the your honor will plaze to keep for me." train of people, and the rows of angels, with their beaming eyes all turned upon those people's faces.

Said his sister's angel to the leader:

" Is my brother come ?"

And he said, "Not that one, but another." And the child beheld his brother's angel in her arms; he cried, "Oh, sister, I am here ! Take me!" and she turned and smiled upon him, and the star was shining.

He grew to be a young man, and was busy Cin. Nonpariel. at his books, when an old servant came to him

"Thy mother is no more. I bring her blessing on her darling son !"

Again at night be saw the star, and all that former company. Said his sister's angel to

" Is my brother come ?"

And he said, "Thy mother !"

A mighty cry of joy went forth through all the star, because the mother was re-united to her two children. And he stretched out his arms and cried, "Oh, mother, sister, and brother, I am here! Take me!" And they answered him, "Not yet," and the star was shin-

He grew to be a man, whose hair was turning gray, and he was sitting in his chair by the fire-side, heavy with grief, and with his face bedewed with tears, when the star opened once

Said his sister's angel to the leader, "Is my brother come?

And he said, "Nay, but his maiden daugh-

And the man who had been the child saw his daughter, newly lost to him, a celestial creature among these three, and he said, "My wondered at the goodness and and power of her arm is round my mother's neck, and at she pleases, conform to his circumstances.—

And the star was shining.

had cried so long ago :

They whispered one another, "He is dying." And he said, "I am. My age is falling I thank thee that it has so often opened, to receive those dear ones who await me !"

And the star was shining; and it shines up-

The Hydro Electric Light.

# on his grave .- Household Words.

liantly lighted by hydrogen gas, produced by than most exquisite music. If every enterthe decomposition of water through mechani- prize be dead, and hope itself almost extinly evolved electricity. There was but one guished her patience and fortitude have the small burner in each room, yet the light was power to rekindle them in the heart, and he exceedingly strong and white. A room was again goes forth to renew the encounter with star, turned round and said to the patient pale heated by a single jet of pure hydrogen, light- the toils and troubles of life. face on the bed, "I see the star !" and then a ed, and passed between two cylinders of iron. smile would come upon the face, and a little The gas was thus proved to be a potent geneweak voice used to say, "God bless my broth- rator of heat as well as light. For the light, the hydrogen must necessarily be carbonized. and Mr. Paine states that the cost of carbonizing the gas for three burners in his house for ne week, did not amount to one cent.

This statement, of the carbonization of the hydrogen, renders the claim of the invention more respectable and plausible It has generally been represented that Mr. Paine's bonization is as cheap as represented, millions the grand invention of the age.

# Novel.

affection and self-sacrifice as that displayed departure, and feel how "blessings brighten when the first pay-day came, his employer could lovely young girl, who came one evening to not give him but a dollar on his week's work. when looking around, he discovered the Irishman to whom he had only given a dollar the tified at overlooking him, and his consequent

inability to pay him off. Said he :-" James, I am sorry, but I have only one She was turning hopefully away, when the dollar for you again. Why do you not

"Sure, sir, you was busy, and I could wait

" Can you possibly get along with a dollar? -I will get you some more Monday morn-

" A dollar'll do-I've been living on a dol-

your coat is nearly gone-you'll want some was indicted for stealing turnips from the field There was a baby born to be a brother to the clothing."

hands till I git enough to send for the old wo-

door opened for his egress, he murmured-

#### Fulton.

A gentleman, now an honored representative of one of the Congressional Districts of New Jersey, visited Robert Fulton when he was in Paris. The man whose genius has made a new era in civilization occupied a small and obscure room. The embodiment of the expansive power of steam was confined within narrow limits. Like Diogenes in his tub, Fulton was almost lodged in the cirmumference of a cylinder. On the wall of his habitation was sketched coarsely, but distinctly the plan of a steamboat. "There," said Ful ton, as he pointed it out to his visitor, "there is the image of what will yet traverse the river and the ocean." And wherever he went this image of the future he carried with him. If he did not sketch it on the wall it was written in his mind. He saw it as he walked along; he thought of it; he dreamed of it and, at last, he acted it. The taper of his lone room illumined the world.

#### The Wife's Influence on her Husband's Fortune.

A woman has her husband's fortunes in her daughter's head is on my sister's bosom, and power, because she may, or she may not, as her feet there is the baby of old time, and I This is her first duty, and ought to be her can bear the parting from her. God be prais- pride. No passion for luxury or display finally succeeded in gaining the floating part ought for a moment to tempt her to deviate in of the wreck, with his little daughter, and both the least degree from this line of conduct .-Thus the child came to be an old man, and Any other course is wretchedness itself, and his once smooth face was wrinkled, and his inevitably leads to ruin. Nothing can be more steps were slow and feeble, and his back was miserable than the struggle to keep up appear-And one night as he lay upon his bed, ances. Ii it could succeed well, it would cost He said that his mother was speaking in the his children standing round, he cried, as he more than it is worth; as it never can, its fail- evening, at the social family circle, of "forure involves the deepest mortification. Some tune's changes," and remarked, "that in her of the sublimest exhibitions of human virtue girlhood, at a social party, where there was have been made by women, who have been music and dancing, a young, blue-eyed, lightprecipitated suddenly from wealth and splen- baired boy asked her to dance. She refused. from me like a garment, and I move towards dor to absolute want. Then a man's fortunes and thought he was rather presuming, as he the star as a child. And, O my Father, now are in a manner in the hands of his wife, inas- was the son of a blacksmith, and she the much as his own power of exertion depends daughter of Captain -, a militia captain. on her. His moral strength is inconceivably That boy is the present Governor of Massaincreased by her sympathy, her counsel, her chusetts .- Boston Post. aid. She can aid him immensely by her relieving him of every care which she is capable of taking upon herself. If she be promp If we may believe the accounts in the news- ted by true affection and good sense she will Smith's European Times, of May 4. From papers, Mr. Henry M. Paine of Worcester perceive when his spirit is borne down and that paper we collect the following items :has made the greatest invention of the age. overwhelmed. She, of all human beings, can The Boston Post says that recently, a number best minister to its needs. If it be harrassed of gentlemen from Boston and Worcester vis- and worn to a morbid irritability, her gentle ited Mr. Paine's residence, when it was bril- tones steal over it with a soothing more potent

From the Boston Trans., of May 15.

MRS. OSGOOD'S LAST POEM. We publish premonition of her approaching end. She of them obliged to live on £30 a year. which would bloom imperishable when our ter eastward of that position. We seldom meet with such an instance of Long will her many friends lament her early 595 copies of the Scriptures. as they take their leave"-and that.

"When such friends part 'Tis the survivor dies!" The lines which follow were addressed to "a back for trial. amuse her by making paper flowers and teachmuch she loved the beautiful."

You've won roses round my way And gladdened all my being; How much I thank you none can say Save only the All-seeing.

May He who gave this lovely gift. This love of lovely doings, Be with you whereso'er you go, In every hope's pursuings.

I'm going thro' the Eternal gates June's sweet roses blow! Death's lovely angel leads me there-And it is sweet to go.

# New way of Identifying a Prisoner .--- An Irish Officer.

That fact is stronger than fiction is fully ve rified in the following true case of Irish ingecuriously blended. At the present sessions of Mr. Leader of Mill-st. in this county, the

" Divil a bit do my feet care, or back aither, principal witness being the watchman, familiarer yet had spoken a word, he stretched out his for that-I'll let the money save up in your ly known as "Mad Tom Eager." The attorney who defended the prisoner endeavored to man. Here's three dollars I've saved, which your honor will plaze to keep for me."

"Wait here a moment," said the gentleman, length of himself;" but upon being further

Lof the English language that has ever been published, and Ages will klarsk before any other Dictionary of that language will be required. It is, in every respect, far superior to the folio editions of Johnson's Dictionary. The Introductory as he stepped out. In a few minutes, howev- pressed, he coolly said-" Didn't I know what er, he turned with a substantial pair of boots the attorney would be at, and what he'd try to and a comfortable coat for his honest work- make me swear? Faith, I did so, and when I caught the prisoner I knocked him down and The tears rolled down the poor fellow's took out my knife and cut off a piece of his cheeks as he received the gifts; and as the ear, that I might match it next day." This terrific statement was mournfully corroborated "God bless your honor-the wife's heart by the prisoner in the dock, who turned his will soon be aisy, and the children's too !"- mutilated ear to the Bench, crying out at the same time in a piteous tone-"O! wisha me Lard, shure enuf, he did crap me !" The wor thy assistant barrister, was justly horrified at the act, vented his indignation in the strongest terms, and expressed a wish that he had the witness in the dock; but the witness seemed to look upon the startling mode of procuring conclusive testimony as entitling him to a civic crown instead of moriting a judicial reprimand.

> AFFECTING INCIDENT .- The case of Mr. Archer Brackney is of thrilling interest. He was on his way from Lafavette, Ia., to Phila delphia with the remains of his wife and child recently deceased. Both of the corpses were inclosed in one box. When the explosion took place he succeeded in dragging his two living children from their rooms, and with them plunged into the water. After swimming around for a short time, he came in contact with the box containing his wife and child .-Upon this he succeeded for some time in keeping himself and children from drowning, although every wave would roll his frail support and plunge them in the water, until at last his little boy, two years old, was drowned in his arms. After becoming satisfied that his boy was dead, he reluctantly parted with the body, and turned his attention to the rescue of the remaining child, who was clinging around his neck, crying, "Papa! we shall drown!" He

- Irish Journal.

GIRLS, READ THIS .- A few days since, a young gentleman related to us the following

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The new born son of Victoria is to be called Arthur. This is her third boy, and Albert, Alfred, and Arthur, make a trio of very pret-

On account of the dishonesty of Treasurers of several Savings' Bank, and the feeling improperly entertained among depositors that Government was held accountable for deposits, these Treasurers are hereafter to be appointed by the government.

The Church of England is the richest Church in the world, and yet the subordinate below the last lines of the departed poetess, preachers, such as the curates, are the poorest Frances Sargent Osgood. It will be seen paid. The Times says that £25,000 has been from this poem, which was written a week spent lately upon the palace of the Bishop of Bareges and Brazilliennes, plain and printed. ago yesterday, that Mrs. Osgood had a fall Lincoln, while his struggling clergy are many

was aware that she would not live to see the THE ARCTIC EXPEDITION. - Intelligence roses of June. Her presentiment has been has just been received of the arrival of Mr. fulfilled. She saw the white and crimson blos- Roe and Commander Pullen, of the Plover. soms and the green buds of the young spring, at the Mackenzie; thus establishing the fact itary bed, he dreamed about the star; and knows to be impossible. If the process of car- however, that they would come forth in their ed any part of the coast between Behring's season though her mortal senses might be Strait and the Copper Mine, whilst the check If the process of turning water into fuel prove she was equally assured that there was a life his course to the north of the Copper Mine

material part was dust and ashes. Strong in The receipts of the British and Foreign Bi-Affection --- Such as would make a this faith, she welcomed death's "gracious an- ble Society during the year, have been £91,gel" with serenity and a child-like trust .- 634. They have issued in that time, 1,136,-

> Reuben C. Withers, who was under in dictment for murder in San Francisco and had BROADCLOTHS, CASSIMERES and DOE escaped, has been recaptured and conveyed

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Earth's brightest summer never shone so br That sky is not like this sad sky of ours, Tinged with earth's change and care;

No shadow dims it, and no rain-cloud lower No broken sunshine there ! One everlasting stretch of azure pours Its stainless splendour o'er those sinless sh For there Jehovah shines with heavenly ray There Jesus reigns, dispensing endless day

The dwellers there are not like those of earth No mortal stain they bear; And yet they seem of kindred blood and bir

Whence and how came they there ? Earth was their native soil; from sin and s Through tribulation, they to glory came : Bond-slaves, deliver'd from sin's crushing lo Brands pluck'd from burning by the hand of

Those robes of theirs are not like those below No angel's half so bright ! Whence came that beauty, whence that living Whence came that radiant white !

Wash'd in the blood of the atoning Lamb, Fair as the light those robes of theirs becan And now, all tears wiped off from every eye They wander where the freshest pastures li Through all the nightless day of that unfading

# Transforming Grace.

One of the most affecting comments per ever made on a well-known portion of eleventh chapter of Isaiah, was given poor African woman, a newl vert to the Christian faith. She had from the interior of the country of the Be na tribes, and was one of the first thirty ples of our blessed Lord in that once day barren wilderness. She had been but of two months an enlightened and converte liever, but she realized the description by the sacred historian of the gentle L "whose heart the Lord opened, that she a

ed unto things which were spoken of Pa

She came to the missionary on the mo

after one of the missionary prayer-meeting she came and said, "I have somewhat to Her teacher encouraged her to do so. hesitated : her modest diffidence needed encouragement, and she received it. She "I was going to talk to you about the wo God-I could not understand you last t I never heard the word of God as I di night." "I asked," said the mission "what struck her particularly." "O," sl plied, I could not understand it; it was what I had heard before." The eleventh ter of Isaiah was altogether a new subj this young woman. She said, "I have thinking about it all night. I could not s "I asked," he continues, "whether it was portion which I had expounded, or what only read?" She replied, "What you uni I understood; I could not go wrong, be you put words into my ears. It was that you did not expound." He had only exp ed the first five verses of the chapter. asked : "What was it?" A tenacious ry enabled her to repeat nearly the very she had heard-"the wolf shall lie down the lamb." "I do not know," she said, kind of wolves they are in your country, know our wolves will not lie down wit lambs till they have devoured them all. leopard shall lie down with the kid.' I know what leopards they are in your con but ours will not lie down with the k they have eaten them up. Again; 'The and the young lion, and the fatling tog and a little child shall lead them.' Nov is like bearing the point of one needle of other ; it cannot stand there : this is pur

a person, and I know God does not inte puzzle us. It makes things altogether in fusion : it make darkness : I cannot stand it. 'And the cow and the bear feed, their young ones shall lie down toge and the lion shall eat straw like the ox.' is surprising! I do not know what ki lions you have, but I know that our lion not eat straw till they have first eaten the But what makes me wonder most," continued, "is this: 'The sucking child play on the hole of the asp, and the we child shall put his hand on the cockat den." He had translated the cockatri the word shueshuane, a little deadly-biting

pent. "The idea," she said, "of a mar

woman, or a child, putting their hand in